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For: PUMP DRIVE HEAD WITH STUFFING
BOX

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**REQUEST FOR REFUND OF ISSUE FEE AND ASSERTION OF SMALL ENTITY
STATUS UNDER 37 CFR 1.28(a) AND 1.27**MS 16
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P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that Applicant receive a refund under 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a) in the amount of \$665.00 by crediting our Deposit Account No. 12-1095. This refund is requested within the three-month time period for requesting a refund of a portion of a large entity fee based on later establishment of small entity status. Applicant erroneously paid the large entity Issue Fee payment of \$1,330.00, instead of the small entity Issue Fee payment of \$665.00 on September 27, 2004.

Applicant asserts that it is a small entity and therefore, requests a refund.

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